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 The Staff of the Bulgarian Air Force is divided into two sections: one, war operations, and, two, supply and allied matters. The latter section is called "Til" (Reserve).

Zahari Zahariev. He is Bulgarian by birth, joined the air force as a young man, and served for some time as a non-commissioned officer. He left for Russia in the early 1930's. From there he went to Spain as a member of the International Brigade where he won the decoration, Hero of the Soviet Union. He came to Bulgaria in 1944 as a colonel and was in charge of training Bulgarian pilots.

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